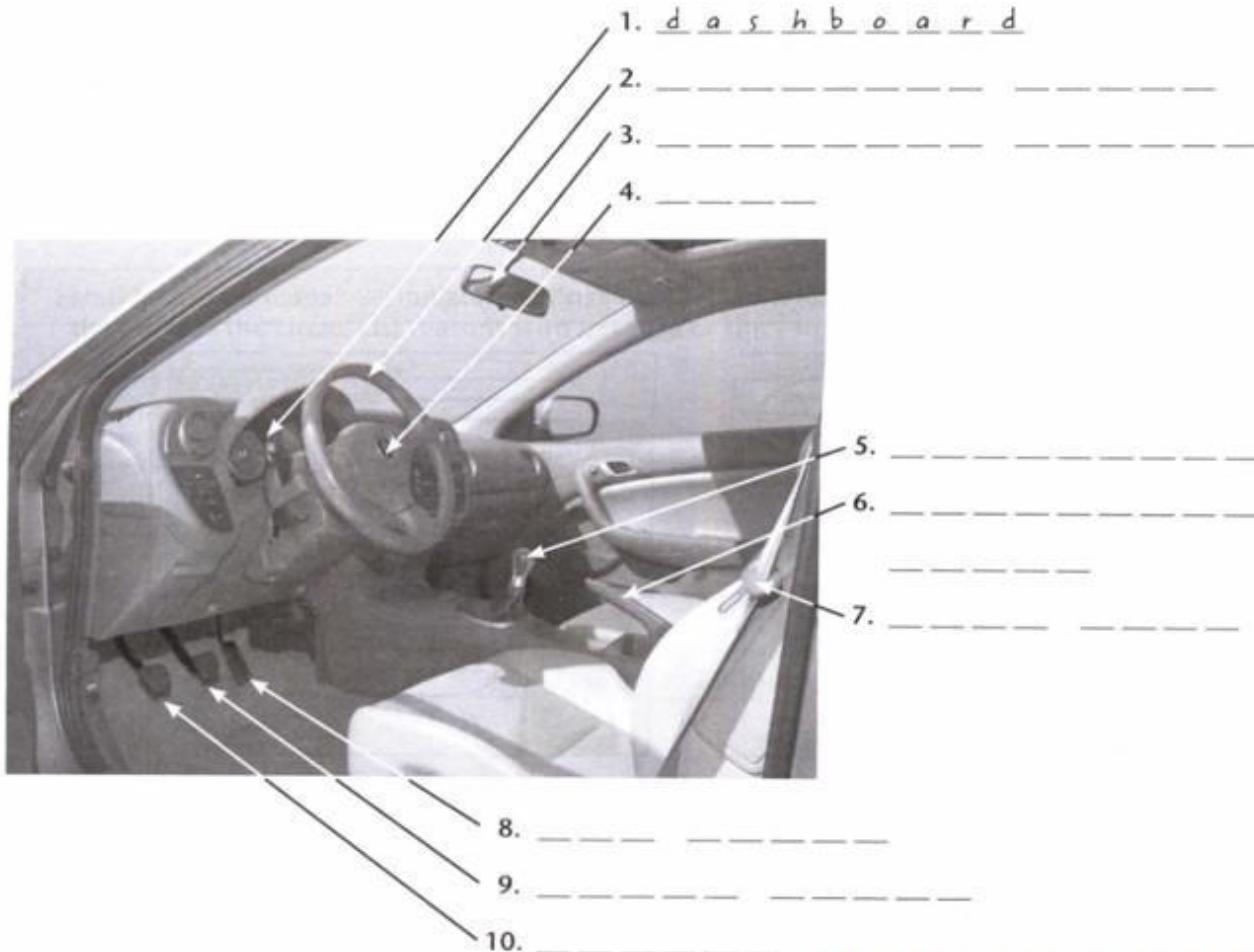


LESSON 1

4 Label the car parts.



5 Complete the conversation with the past continuous or the simple past tense.

A: Hi, Sandra. What's wrong?

B: I _____ an accident on the way home today.

1. have

A: Oh, no! How _____ it _____?

2. happen

B: Well, I _____ home when my sister

3. drive

_____ . She _____

4. call

5. ask

what I _____ , and I _____

6. do

7. tell

her I _____ home and would see

8. go

her soon. But she _____ she had a funny

9. say

story that she just had to tell me. Anyway, by the end of the

story, I _____ so hard I couldn't see—and

10. laugh

I _____ right into a stop sign.

11. drive



6 Choose the correct response. Write the letter on the line.

1. "I had an accident today." _____

a. The other driver was speeding.

2. "Are you OK?" _____

b. Not really. The other driver will have to replace a taillight.

3. "How did it happen?" _____

c. Thank goodness.

4. "Luckily, I was wearing my seat belt." _____

d. Yes, I'm fine. No one was hurt.

5. "Was there much damage?" _____

e. How awful.

7 CHALLENGE. Have you or has someone you know ever had an accident? What happened? Write a note to a friend about it.

Handwriting practice lines for writing a note about a car accident.